DETAILS OF MINIMUM ELIGIBILITY AND OTHER INFORMATION

Minimum Qualifications for direct requirement to the post of Professor, Associate Professor, Assistant Professor will be as per the norms/guidelines laid down by the UGC/AICTE/NCTE/Rehabilitation Council of India (as amended from time to time).

1. MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT OF TEACHING FACULTY FOR THE DISCIPLINES OF ARTS, COMMERCE, HUMANITIES, LAW, SOCIAL SCIENCES, SCIENCES, LANGUAGES, LIBRARY SCIENCE, PHYSICAL EDUCATION, AND JOURNALISM & MASS COMMUNICATION.

1.3 ASSISTANT PROFESSOR

Eligibility (A or B) :

A. i) A Master's degree with 55% marks (or an equivalent grade in a point-scale wherever the grading system is followed) in a concerned/relevant/allied subject from an Indian University, or an equivalent degree from an accredited foreign university.

ii) Besides fulfilling the above qualifications, the candidate must have cleared the National Eligibility Test (NET) conducted by the UGC or the CSIR, or a similar test accredited by the UGC, like SLET/SET or who are or have been awarded a Ph. D. Degree in accordance with the University Grants Commission (Minimum Standards and Procedure for Award of M.Phil./Ph.D. Degree) Regulations, 2009 or 2016 and their amendments from time to time as the case may be exempted from NET/SLET/SET :

Provided, the candidates registered for the Ph.D. programme prior to July 11, 2009, shall be governed by the provisions of the then existing Ordinances/Bye-laws/Regulations of the Institution awarding the degree and such Ph.D. candidates shall be exempted from the requirement of NET/SLET/SET for recruitment and appointment of Assistant Professor or equivalent positions in Universities/Colleges/Institutions subject to the fulfillment of the following conditions :-

- a) The Ph.D. degree of the candidate has been awarded in a regular mode;
- b) The Ph.D. thesis has been evaluated by at least two external examiners;
- c) An open Ph.D. viva voce of the candidate has been conducted;

d) The Candidate has published two research papers from his/her Ph.D. work, out of which at least one is in a refereed journal;

e) The candidate has presented at least two papers based on his/her Ph.D work in conferences/seminars sponsored/funded/supported by the UGC / ICSSR/ CSIR or any similar agency.

The fulfilment of these conditions is to be certified by the Registrar or the Dean (Academic Affairs) of the University concerned.

Note: NET/SLET/SET shall also not be required for such Masters Programmes in disciplines for which NET/SLET/SET is not conducted by the UGC, CSIR or similar test accredited by the UGC, like SLET/SET.

OR

B. The Ph.D degree has been obtained from a foreign university/institution with a ranking among top 500 in the World University Ranking (at any time) by any one of the following: (i) Quacquarelli Symonds (QS) (ii) the Times Higher Education (THE) or (iii) the Academic Ranking of World Universities (ARWU) of the Shanghai Jiao Tong University (Shanghai).

Note: The Academic score as specified in Appendix II (Table 3A) as given in UGC Regulations on Minimum Qualifications for Appointment of Teachers and other Academic Staff in Universities and colleges and measures for the maintenance of standards in Higher Education, 2018 for Universities, shall be considered for short-listing of the candidates for interview only, and the selections shall be based only on the performance in the interview.

1.2 ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR

Eligibility:

i) A good academic record, with a Ph.D. Degree in the concerned/allied/relevant disciplines.

ii) A Master's Degree with at least 55% marks (or an equivalent grade in a point-scale, wherever the grading system is followed).

iii) A minimum of eight years of experience of teaching and / or research in an academic/research position equivalent to that of Assistant Professor in a University, College or Accredited Research Institution/industry with a minimum of seven publications in the peer-reviewed or UGC-listed journals and a total research score of Seventy five (75) as per the criteria given in Appendix II, Table 2 as given in UGC Regulations on Minimum Qualifications for Appointment of Teachers and other Academic Staff in Universities and colleges and measures for the maintenance of standards in Higher Education, 2018.

1.3 PROFESSOR

Eligibility (A or B) :

- A. i) An eminent scholar having a Ph.D. degree in the concerned/allied/relevant discipline, and published work of high quality, actively engaged in research with evidence of published work with, a minimum of 10 research publications in the peer-reviewed or UGC-listed journals and a total research score of 120 as per the criteria given in Appendix II, Table 2 as given in UGC Regulations on Minimum Qualifications for Appointment of Teachers and other Academic Staff in Universities and colleges and measures for the maintenance of standards in Higher Education, 2018.
 - ii) A minimum of ten years of teaching experience in university/college as Assistant Professor/Associate Professor/Professor, and / or research experience at equivalent level at the University/National Level Institutions with evidence of having successfully guided doctoral candidate.

OR

B. An outstanding professional, having a Ph.D. degree in the relevant/allied/applied disciplines, from any academic institutions (not included in A above) / industry, who has made significant contribution to the knowledge in the concerned/allied/relevant discipline, supported by documentary evidence provided he/she has ten years' experience.

2. MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT OF TEACHING FACULTY IN THE ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY DISCIPLINE (School of Engineering and Technology):

The minimum qualifications for the appointment in the teaching posts for the School of Studies, Engineering and Technology shall be based on the Regulations of UGC/AICTE as amended from time to time.

Appointment for the post in Engineering and Technology branches (Engineering Trade) shall be as per the eligibility prescribed by AICTE, whereas for other posts in the School of Studies of Engineering and Technology such as Humanities, Basic Sciences, Biology etc. shall be as per UGC Regulations prevailing at the time of advertisement.

2.1 ASSISTANT PROFESSOR

i. Essential,

B. E. / B. Tech. / B. S. and M. E. / M. Tech. / M. S. or Integrated M. Tech. in relevant branch with first class or equivalent in any one of the degrees.

2.2 ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR

i. Essential:

a. Ph.D. degree in the relevant field and First class or equivalent at either Bachelor's or Master's level in the relevant branch

AND

b. At least total 6 research publications in SCI journals / UGC / AICTE approved list of journals.

AND

c. Minimum of 8 years of experience in teaching / research / industry out of which at least 2 years shall be Post Ph.D. experience.

2.3 PROFESSOR:

i. Essential:

a. Ph. D. degree in relevant field and First class or equivalent at either Bachelor's or Master's level in the relevant branch.

AND

b. Minimum of 10 years of experience in teaching / research / industry out of which at least 3 years shall be at a post equivalent to that of an Associate Professor.

AND

c. At least 6 research publications at the level of Associate Professor in SCI journals / UGC /AICTE approved list of journals and at least 2 successful Ph.D. guided as Supervisor / Co-supervisor till the date of eligibility of promotion.

OR

At least 10 research publications at the level of Associate Professor in SCI journals / UGC / AICTE approved list of journals till the date of eligibility of promotion.

3. MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT OF TEACHING FACULTY IN THE PHARMACY DISCIPLINE:

3.1 ASSISTANT PROFESSOR

i. Essential:

B. Pharm. and M. Pharm. in the relevant specialization with First Class or equivalent in any one of the two degrees.

3.2 ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR:

i. Essential:

a. Ph.D. degree in the relevant field and First class or equivalent at either Bachelor's or Master's level in the relevant branch

AND

b. At least total 6 research publications in SCI journals / UGC / AICTE approved list of journals.

AND

c. Minimum of 8 years of experience in teaching / research / industry out of which at least 2 years shall be Post Ph.D. experience.

3.3 PROFESSOR:

i. Essential:

Essential:

a. Ph. D. degree in relevant field and First class or equivalent at either Bachelor's or Master's level in the relevant branch.

AND

b. Minimum of 10 years of experience in teaching / research / industry out of which at least 3 years shall be at a post equivalent to that of an Associate Professor.

AND

c. At least 6 research publications at the level of Associate Professor in SCI journals / UGC /AICTE approved list of journals and at least 2 successful Ph.D. guided as Supervisor / Co-supervisor till the date of eligibility of promotion.

OR

At least 10 research publications at the level of Associate Professor in SCI journals / UGC / AICTE approved list of journals till the date of eligibility of promotion.

4. MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT OF TEACHING FACULTY POSITIONS IN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION (B.Ed./M.Ed.)

4.1 ASSISTANT PROFESSOR:

a. A Master's Degree in Arts / Humanities / Sciences / Commerce and M. Ed. Each with a minimum of 55% marks (or an equivalent grade in a point scale wherever grading system is followed),

OR

M. A. (Education) and B. Ed. each with a minimum of 55% marks (or an equivalent grade in a point scale wherever grading system is followed); and

b. Besides fulfilling the above qualifications, the candidate must have cleared the National Eligibility Test (NET) conducted by the UGC or the CSIR, or a similar test accredited by the UGC, like SLET/SET or who are or have been awarded a Ph. D. Degree in accordance with the University Grants Commission (Minimum Standards and Procedure for Award of M.Phil./Ph.D. Degree) Regulations, 2009 or 2016 and their amendments from time to time as the case may be exempted from NET/SLET/SET :

Provided, the candidates registered for the Ph.D. programme prior to July 11, 2009, shall be governed by the provisions of the then existing Ordinances/Bye-laws/Regulations of the Institution awarding the degree and such Ph.D. candidates shall be exempted from the requirement of NET/SLET/SET for recruitment and appointment of Assistant Professor or equivalent positions in Universities/Colleges/Institutions subject to the fulfillment of the following conditions :-

- a) The Ph.D. degree of the candidate has been awarded in a regular mode;
- b) The Ph.D. thesis has been evaluated by at least two external examiners;
- c) An open Ph.D. viva voce of the candidate has been conducted;
- d) The Candidate has published two research papers from his/her Ph.D. work, out of which at least one is in a refereed journal;
- e) The candidate has presented at least two papers based on his/her Ph.D work in conferences/seminars sponsored/funded/supported by the UGC / ICSSR/ CSIR or any similar agency.

The fulfilment of these conditions is to be certified by the Registrar or the Dean (Academic Affairs) of the University concerned.

Note: NET/SLET/SET shall also not be required for such Masters Programmes in disciplines for which NET/SLET/SET is not conducted by the UGC, CSIR or similar test accredited by the UGC, like SLET/SET.

4.2 ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR:

- **a.** A Post Graduate Degree with minimum 55% marks in the discipline relevant to the area of specialization.
- **b.** Post Graduate Degree in Education (M.Ed./M. A. (Education) with a minimum of 55% marks (or an equivalent grade in a point scale wherever grading system is followed); and
- **c**. Ph. D. in Education or in the discipline relevant to the area of specialization.
- d. A minimum of eight years of experience of teaching and / or research in an academic/research position equivalent to that of Assistant Professor in a University, College or Accredited Research Institution/industry with a minimum of seven publications in the peer-reviewed or UGC-listed journals and a total research score of Seventy five (75) as per the criteria given in Appendix II, Table 2 as given in UGC Regulations on Minimum Qualifications for Appointment of Teachers and other Academic Staff in Universities and colleges and measures for the maintenance of standards in Higher Education, 2018.

4.3 PROFESSOR:

- a. **a.** A Post Graduate Degree with minimum 55% marks in the discipline relevant to the area of specialization.
- **b.** Post Graduate Degree in Education (M.Ed./M. A. (Education) with a minimum of 55% marks (or an equivalent grade in a point scale wherever grading system is followed); and
- **c**. Ph. D. in Education or in the discipline relevant to the area of specialization.
- **d.** A minimum of 10 research publications in the peer-reviewed or UGC-listed journals and a total research score of 120 as per the criteria given in Appendix II, Table 2 as given in UGC Regulations on Minimum Qualifications for Appointment of Teachers and other Academic Staff in Universities and colleges and measures for the maintenance of standards in Higher Education, 2018.
- **e.** A minimum of ten years of teaching experience in university/college as Assistant Professor/Associate Professor/Professor, and / or research experience at equivalent level at the University/National Level Institutions with evidence of having successfully guided doctoral candidate.

4.4 ASSISTANT PROFESSOR (Special Education – Disability Papers):

- a. A Master's Degree in any discipline with not less than 50 % of marks
- b. M.Ed. Degree in specific disability area with not less than 55% of marks or an equivalent grade of B+ in 10 point scale of UGC.

OR

An equivalent degree from a foreign University recognized by RCI. (Valid registration with RCI u/s 19 of RCI Act, 1992 is essential.

(RCI as Statutory Regulatory Body prescribes 50% as per the UGC Regulations Gazette dt. September 18, 2010 section 1.1.1

Desirable:

M.Phil/Ph.D in Special Education or Education with research emphasis on Special Education Experience for a period of at least 2 years as teacher or researcher in the area of specific disability. For specialization in VI area, Masters degree in school subject will be required. Similarly for specialization areas in Mental Retardation and Hearing Impairment, Masters Degree in Psychology, Child Development/ Human Development, Sociology, Linguistics and Education will be preferred.

5. MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT OF TEACHING FACULTY POSITIONS IN THE DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT/BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION:

5.1 ASSISTANT PROFESSOR:

i. Essential:

Bachelor's Degree in any discipline and Master's Degree in Business Administration / PGDM / C. A. / ICWA/ M. Com. with First Class or equivalent and two years of professional experience after acquiring the degree of Master's degree.

5.2 ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR:

i. Essential:

a. Ph.D. degree in the relevant field and First class or equivalent at either Bachelor's or Master's level in the relevant branch

AND

b. At least total 6 research publications in SCI journals / UGC / AICTE approved list of journals.

AND

c. Minimum of 8 years of experience in teaching / research / industry out of which at least 2 years shall be Post Ph.D. experience.

5.3 PROFESSOR:

i. Essential:

a. Ph. D. degree in relevant field and First class or equivalent at either Bachelor's or Master's level in the relevant branch.

AND

b. Minimum of 10 years of experience in teaching / research / industry out of which at least 3 years shall be at a post equivalent to that of an Associate Professor.

AND

c. At least 6 research publications at the level of Associate Professor in SCI journals / UGC /AICTE approved list of journals and at least 2 successful Ph.D. guided as Supervisor / Co-supervisor till the date of eligibility of promotion.

OR

At least 10 research publications at the level of Associate Professor in SCI journals / UGC / AICTE approved list of journals till the date of eligibility of promotion.